# DUAL CREDIT/ENROLLMENT & AGE DEMOGRAPHICS REPORT

Undergraduate Headcount by High School Status & Age at Missouri Public Colleges and Universities

## FALL 2025 INSIGHTS

The majority of public undergraduate enrollments in Missouri are traditional age students (under 25, non-high school).

A quarter of Missouri public undergraduates are dual credit/enrollment high school students.

More adult learners in Missouri enroll at community colleges than public universities.

## DETAILED UNDERGRADUATE HEADCOUNT SHARE BY HIGH SCHOOL STATUS AND AGE, FALL 2025

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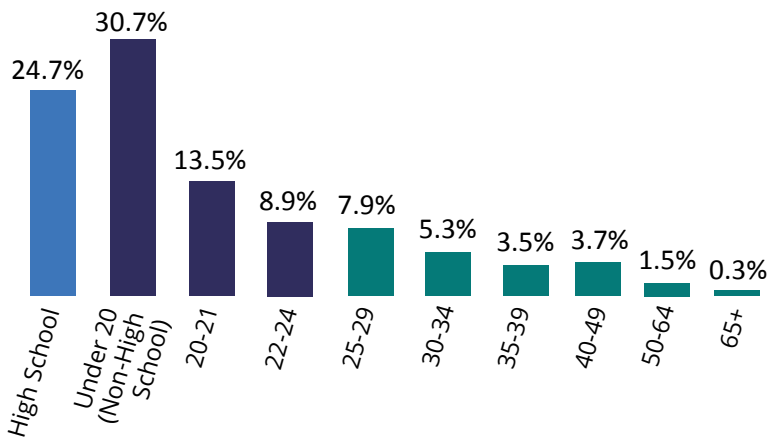


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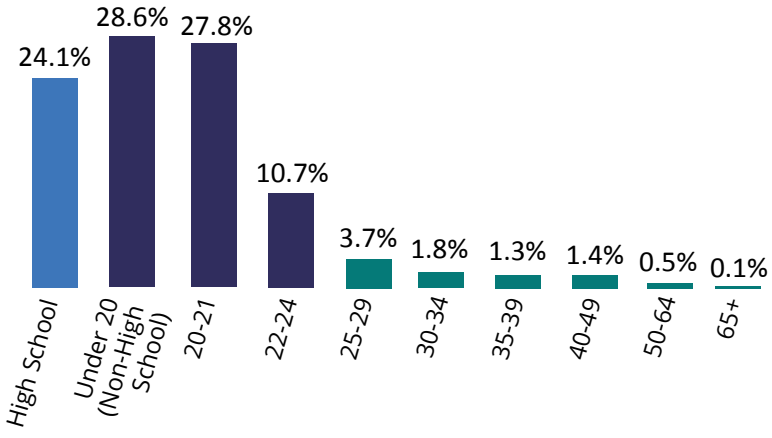


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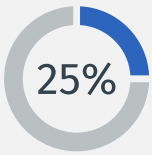


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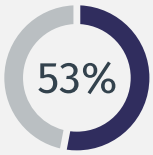


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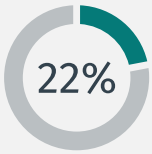


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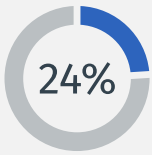


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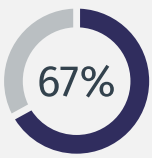


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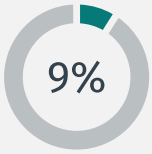


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Source: EMSAS https://dhewd.mo.gov/research-data/emsas

# UNDERGRADUATE HEADCOUNT TRENDS BY HIGH SCHOOL STATUS & AGE

## FALL 2019 - 2025 INSIGHTS, PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS

High school student enrollment in public Missouri institutions has grown significantly since fall 2019.

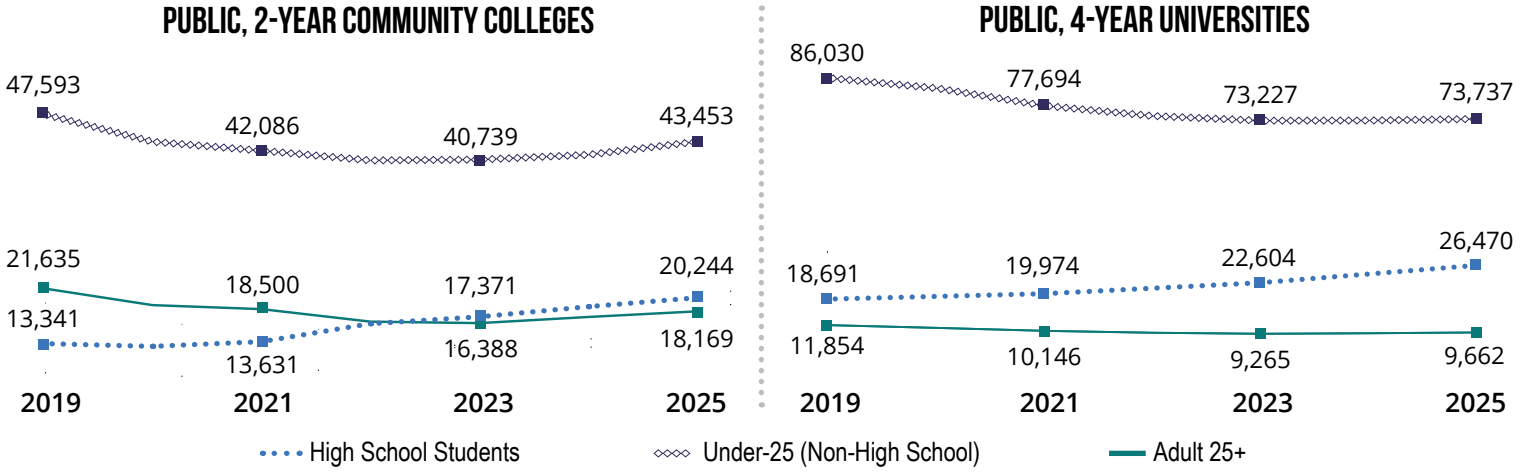
Enrollment for traditional age and adult students in Missouri declined from fall 2019 to fall 2024.

Enrollment across all age groups increased between fall 2024 and fall 2025.

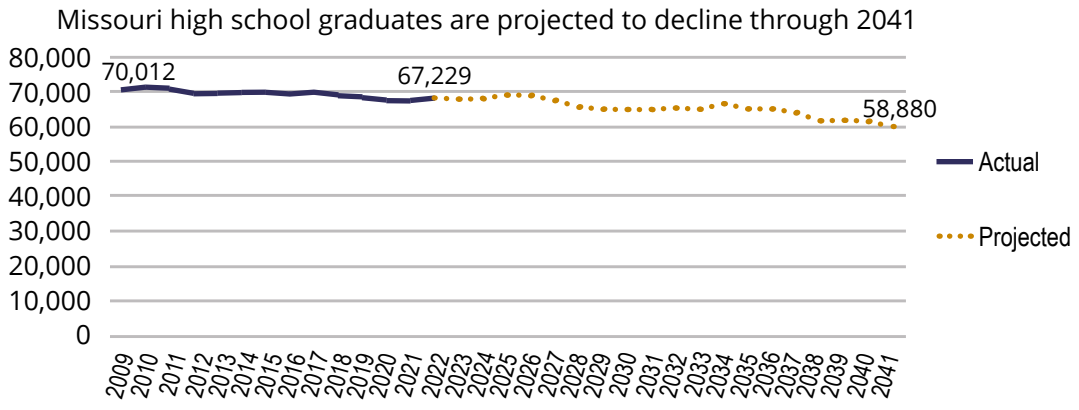
## HEADCOUNT CHANGE, FALL 2019 - 2025

| STUDENT CATEGORY | PUBLIC, 2-YEAR COMMUNITY COLLEGES | PUBLIC, 4-YEAR UNIVERSITIES |
|---|---|---|
| High School Students | **+6,903** (+51.7%) | **+7,779** (+41.6%) |
| Under-25 (Non-High School) | **-4,140** (-8.7%) | **-12,293** (-14.3%) |
| Adult 25+ | **-3,466** (-16.0%) | **-2,192** (-18.5%) |

## UNDERGRADUATE HEADCOUNT OVER TIME, FALL 2019-2025




## HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES IN MISSOURI (PUBLIC AND PRIVATE) ACTUAL 2009 - 2023, PROJECTED 2024 - 2041




SOURCE: WICHE, Knocking at the College Door

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# WITHIN-INSTITUTION UNDERGRADUATE HEADCOUNT SHARE, FALL 2025

| INSTITUTION | HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS | UNDER-25 (NON-HIGH SCHOOL) | ADULT 25+ |
|---|---|---|---|
| Crowder College | 36.8% | 45.2% | 18.0% |
| East Central College | 32.4% | 51.9% | 15.7% |
| Harris Stowe State University | 3.6% | 80.6% | 15.9% |
| Jefferson College | 30.9% | 53.0% | 16.1% |
| Lincoln University | 18.6% | 65.7% | 15.7% |
| Metropolitan Community College | 18.0% | 58.1% | 23.8% |
| Mineral Area College | 32.7% | 52.4% | 14.9% |
| Missouri Southern State University | 24.1% | 59.5% | 16.4% |
| Missouri State University | 36.8% | 54.6% | 8.6% |
| Missouri State University - West Plains | 50.2% | 36.8% | 12.9% |
| Missouri University of Science & Technology | 0.1% | 96.3% | 3.6% |
| Missouri Western State University | 38.2% | 51.2% | 10.6% |
| Moberly Area Community College | 38.9% | 46.9% | 14.1% |
| North Central Missouri College | 30.6% | 51.9% | 17.5% |
| Northwest Missouri State University | 16.9% | 72.9% | 10.3% |
| Ozarks Technical Community College | 25.9% | 50.2% | 24.0% |
| Southeast Missouri State University | 19.6% | 69.5% | 10.9% |
| St. Charles Community College | 17.2% | 64.9% | 18.0% |
| St. Louis Community College | 17.3% | 49.6% | 33.0% |
| State Fair Community College | 33.2% | 51.3% | 15.5% |
| State Technical College | 6.7% | 88.0% | 5.4% |
| Three Rivers College | 25.7% | 47.2% | 27.2% |
| Truman State University | 20.7% | 72.5% | 6.8% |
| University of Central Missouri | 23.9% | 63.4% | 12.7% |
| University of Missouri-Columbia | 0.1% | 97.1% | 2.8% |
| University of Missouri-Kansas City | 32.0% | 57.6% | 10.4% |
| University of Missouri-St. Louis | 59.9% | 26.5% | 13.6% |

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